



Summer Reading Recommended Booklist



WA Teacher Best Seller List: Summer of 2020

Grades K-5

Looking for a good book? Check out this list. Some of our elementary teachers shared their recommendations for favorite books!

Building	Teacher Name	Grade Level(s)	Book Title	Author
Wilson	Rachel Gray	All ages	Oh, the Place You Will Go	Shel Silverstein
Donaldson	Nicole Zdinak	all ages	National Geographic Kids -Weird but True	National Geographic Kids
Donaldson	Cindy Henlser	all ages	The Velveteen Rabbit	Margery Williams
Donaldson	Lyndy Stout	all ages	Have You Filled A Bucket Today?	Carol McCloud
Donaldson	Nicole Zdinak	K-1	If You Give a Mouse a Cookie	Laura Numeroff
Wilson	Beth McMullen	K-1	Mercy Watson Series	Kate DiCamillo
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	K-1	Elephant and Piggie	Mo Willems
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	K-1	The Monster at the End of this Book	Jon Stone
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	K-1	Marley books	Susan Hill/John Grogan
Wilson	Laura Atkinson	K-1	Guess How Much I Love You	Sam McBratney
Donaldson	Laurie Rosso	k-1	The Kissing Hand	Audrey Penn
Donaldson	Becky Claus	K-1	Pout Pout Fish	Deborah Diesen
Donaldson	Becky Claus	K-1	Clark the Shark	Bruce Hale
Donaldson	Christiana Butler	K-1	Are You My Mother	P.D.Eastman
Donaldson	Christiana Butler	K-1	Five Little Monkeys	Eileen Christelow
Donaldson	Christiana Butler	K-1	How Do Dinosaurs Go To School	Jane Yolen
McKee	Debbie Stockhausen	K-1	Room on the Broom	Julia Donaldson
McKee	Susie Dorman	K-1	The Lion Inside	Rachel Bright
Wilson	Lisa Meehan	K-1	The Day the Crayons Quit	Drew Daywalt
Donaldson	Matt DeChicko	K-1	It's Pooltime!	Ethan Long
Wilson	Laura Atkinson	K-1	The Day the Crayons Came Home	Drew Daywalt
Wilson	Laura Atkinson	K-1	Pete the Cat	Eric Litwin/James Dean
Donaldson	Linda Hart	K-1	Click, Clack, Moo: Cows That Type	Doreen Cronin
Donaldson	Bridget Grogan	K-1	Miss Bindergarten Series	Joseph Slate
Donaldson	Allison White	K-1	Giraffes Can't Dance	Guy Parker-Rees
Wilson	Tawnya Weidinger	K-2	Alexander and the Terrible Horrible no Good Very Bad Day	Judith Viorst

Wilson	Molly Cornelius	K-2	Frederick	Leo Lionni
Wilson	Molly Cornelius	K-2	Exclamation Mark	Amy Krouse Rosenthal
Donaldson	Laurie Rosso	K-2	Cloudy With A Chance of Meatballs	Judi Barrett
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	K-2	Katie Woo series	Fran Manushkin
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	K-2	Frog and Toad series	Arnold Lobel
Wilson	Kathy Taylor	K-2	Chrysanthemum	Kevin Henkes
Donaldson	Julie Vukovec	K-2	The Velveteen Rabbit	Margery Williams
Donaldson	Kristen Konieczny	K-3	Be You!	Peter H. Reynolds
McKee	Kirsten Davis	K-3	One Cool Friend	Toni Buzzeo
Donaldson	Erin Dierker	1-2	The Invisible String	Patrice Karst
McKee	Melissa Wagner	1-2	A Letter to Amy	Ezra Jack Keats
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	1-2	Henry and Mudge series	Cynthia Rylant
Donaldson	Lisa Rukas	1-2	Froggy Books	Jonathan London
Donaldson	Amy Mackey	1-2	Mercy Watson Series	Kate DiCamillo
Donaldson	Carla Prevade	1-2	Junie B Jones Series	Barbara Park
Donaldson	Matt DeChicko	1-2	Swimming Time!	Brendan Flynn
Donaldson	Matt DeChicko	1-2	Flat Stanley at Bat	J. Brown & L. Haskins Houran
Donaldson	Linda Hart	1-2	A Bad Case of Stripes	David Shannon
Wilson	Laura Atkinson	1-2	Junie B Jones Series	Barbara Park
Wilson	Kathy Denniston	1-3	Mercy Watson Series	Kate DiCamillo
Donaldson	Allison White	1-4	Magic Treehouse Series	Mary Pope Osborne
McKee	Kristin Burdick	2	Ready, Freddy!	Abby Klein
McKee	Kristin Burdick	2	Horrible Harry	Suzy Kline
Donaldson	Jean Borgo	2-3	Magic Tree House	Mary Pope Osborne
McKee	Melissa Wagner	2-3	Lafcadio, The Lion Who Shot Back	Shel Silverstein
Wilson	Rachel Gray	2-3	The Giving Tree	Shel Silverstein
District Office	Shana Nelson	2-3	Miss Nelson is Missing!	Harry Allard
District Office	Shana Nelson	2-3	Miss Nelson is Back	Harry Allard
McKee	Olivia Pasquino	2-3	Amelia Bedelia Series	Peggy Parish (Herman Parrish)
Donaldson	Christiana Butler	2-3	Amanda's First Day of School	Joan E. Goodman
McKee	Erica Conosciuto	2-3	Finding Winnie	Lindsay Mattick
McKee	Amy Perlmutter	2-3	Ivy and Bean	Annie Barrows
McKee	Debbie Stockhausen	2-3	Magic Tree House Series	Mary Pope Osborne
Wilson	Kim Eater	2-3	Chester's Way	Kevin Henkes
McKee	Brandie Short	2-3	The Calendar Mysteries Series	Ron Roy
McKee	Brandie Short	2-3	The Owl Diaries Series	Rebecca Elliott

Donaldson	Matt DeChicko	2-3	Stand Up for Sportsmanship	Frank Murphy
Donaldson	Courtney Stone	2-3	A to Z Mysteries or Calendar Mysteries	Ron Roy
McKee	Kristin Burdick	2-3	Flat Stanley	Jeff Brown
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	2-4	Kylie Jean	M. Peschke
McKee	Kirsten Davis	2-4	Clementine	Sara Pennypacker
McKee	Kathy Krull	3-4	The Boxcar Children Series	Gertrude Chandler Warner
Wilson	Tawnya Weidinger	3-5	Tales of a 4th Grade Nothing	Judy Blume
Donaldson	Erin Dierker	3-5	James and the Giant Peach	Roald Dahl
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	3-5	The BFG	Roald Dahl
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	3-5	Matilda	Roald Dahl
McKee	Olivia Pasquino	3-5	Because of Winn Dixie	Kate DiCamillo
McKee	Kirsten Davis	3-5	The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane	Kate DiCamillo
McKee	Amy Perlmutter	3-5	Who Was Series	Various authors
McKee	Amy Perlmutter	3-5	I Survived Series	Lauren Tarshis
Wilson	Kim Eater	3-5	Ramona	Beverly Cleary
Wilson	Kristin Kobert	3-5	Wayside School is Falling Down	Louis Sachar
McKee	Brandie Short	3-5	Whatever After Series	Sarah Mlynowski
Wilson	Julie Dennis	3-5	The Plant that Ate Dirty Socks	Nancy McArthur
Wilson	Julie Dennis	3-5	My Teacher is An Alien	Bruce Coville
Wilson	Kathy Taylor	3-5	Nancy Drew Series	Carolyn Keene
Donaldson	Julie Vukovcan	3-5	Ramona Quimby Series	Beverly Cleary
Donaldson	Jacqui King	3-5	The Unwanteds (Series)	Lisa McMann
Donaldson	Jacqui King	3-5	Survivors	Jeff Probst
Donaldson	Jacqui King	3-5	No Talking	Andrew Clements
Donaldson	Jacqui King	3-5	The Call (The Magnificent 12 Series)	Michael Grant
Donaldson	Jacqui King	3-5	Mr. Tucket (series)	Gary Paulsen
Donaldson	Jacqui King	3-5	My Side of the Mountain	Jean Craighead George
Donaldson	Jacqui King	3-5	Independence Hall (IQ series)	Roland Smith
Wilson	Michelle Psaros	3-7	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory	Roald Dahl
Wilson	Jim Muraco	4-5	Hatchet	Gary Paulsen
Wilson	Destiny Day	4-5	From the Mixed-Up Files of Mrs. Basil E Frankweiler	E.L. Koningsburg
Donaldson	Kristen Konieczny	4-5	Raymie Nightingale	Kate DeCamillo
Donaldson	Lisa Panucci	4-5	Among the Hidden (Shadow Children series)	Margaret Peterson Haddix
Donaldson	Kristen Tracy	4-5	Where the Red Fern Grows	Wilson Rawls
McKee	Melissa Wagner	4-5	The Tale of Despereaux	Kate DiCamillo
Wilson	Kathy Denniston	4-5	Hatchet	Gary Paulsen

Wilson	Kathy Denniston	4-5	The War that Saved my Life	Kimberly Brubaker Bradley
Wilson	Kathy Denniston	4-5	Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone	J. K. Rowling
Donaldson	Taylor Cavalovitch	4-5	Percy Jackson and the Olympians: The lightning Thief	Rick Riordan
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	4-5	Book Scavenger	Jennifer Chambliss Bertman
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	4-5	Truth as Told by Mason Buttle	Leslie Connor
Donaldson	Beth Schultz	4-5	Running out of Time	Margaret Peterson Haddix
Wilson	Destiny Day	4-5	Esperanza Rising	Pam Munez Ryan
Donaldson	Christiana Butler	4-5	Nancy Drew Series	Carolyn Keene
Donaldson	Christiana Butler	4-5	The Borrowers	Mary Norton
Donaldson	Christiana Butler	4-5	The Giver	Lois Lowry
Donaldson	Beth Koraido	4-5	The Count of Monte Cristo	A. Dumas
McKee	Erica Conosciuto	4-5	Refugee	Alan Gratz
McKee	Amy Perlmutter	4-5	Number the Stars	Lois Lowry
McKee	Debbie Stockhausen	4-5	The White Giraffe	Lauren St. John
McKee	Gwen Fucy	4-5	Rules	Cynthia Lord
McKee	Gwen Fucy	4-5	Shiloh	Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
McKee	Gwen Fucy	4-5	39 Clues: The Maze of Bones	Rick Riordan
Donaldson	Kristina Tissue	4-5	The WishTree	Katherine Applegate
Donaldson	Kristina Tissue	4-5	A Boy Called Bat	Elana K. Arnold
McKee	Susie Dorman	4-5	Pictures of Hollis Woods	Patricia Reilly Giff
Donaldson	Linda Hart	4-5	Pippi Longstocking	Astrid Lindgren
Donaldson	Tiffany Mangan	4-5	How to Steal a Dog	Barbara O'Connor
Donaldson	Debbie Hamilton	4-5	The Wild Robot	Peter Brown
Donaldson	Debbie Hamilton	4-5	The Wild Robot Escapes	Peter Brown
Donaldson	Debbie Hamilton	4-6	Fish in a Tree	Lynda Mullaly Hunt
Donaldson	Lisa Panucci	4-6	Number the Stars	Lois Lowry
Donaldson	Kristen Konieczny	4-8	The Crossover	Kwame Alexander
Wilson	Tania Garofoli	5-6	Abduction	Peg Kehret
Wilson	Brittney Kuhn	5-6	Wonder	Gary Paulsen